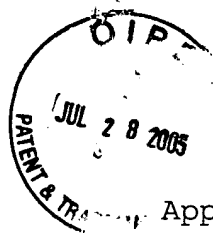


2851  
tn



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Oliver Rottcher Confirmation No.: 2466  
Serial No. : 09/883,729  
Filed : June 18, 2001  
TC/A.U. : 2851  
Examiner : M. Cruz

Docket No. : 01-376  
Customer No.: 34704

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313

ELECTION OF SPECIES

Sir:

This is in response to the Office action dated June 23,  
2005 having a period for response set to expire July 23, 2005.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on Page 2 of this paper.